I don't understand politicians time and money is being used to attempt to stop healthy competition. An innovative idea should not be banned just because competitors refuse to engage in the market competition.

XM subscribers pay for this service and it should be left up to them whether they feel it is a valuable commodity. I personally do as the regular radio stations do not offer the comprehensiveness and timeliness of when i need traffic and weather updates.

This is healthy for our market and i encourage the NAB to continue to improve their product and make a strong push towards winning back listeners.

Please reject petition 01-160 and all XMs subscribers to continue to recieve the excellent service we have come to expect.